



Sumter County Building Department
Agricultural Farm Building
Request for Exemption from Building Code Requirements



The undersigned owner of the property located at (911 address):

and described as follows (legal description):

hereby requests that, in accordance with Florida Statute Section 553.73(8), the agricultural farm building that I am constructing on the above described property be exempt from plan review and the technical requirements of the Florida Building Code for the following reason(s):

1. The agricultural farm building will be utilized as a residential dwelling. ☐ Yes ☐ No
2. The agricultural farm building will be utilized in the following agricultural production (You may select more than one):
 - a. Animals ☐ Yes
 - b. Vegetables/Crops ☐ Yes
 - c. Aquaculture ☐ Yes
 - d. Citrus Products ☐ Yes
 - e. Nursery/Landscaping Products ☐ Yes
 - f. Other ☐ Yes

If "Other" Please Explain _____

3. The agricultural farm building is **only** used as part of an active farm operation that produces farm products for sale. ☐ Yes ☐ No
4. The above property has been granted or has applied for "greenbelt" or "agricultural" ad valorem property tax exemption by the Sumter County Property Appraiser's Office. (Attach proof of exemption or application for exemption.) ☐ Yes ☐ No
5. There is a home (mobile, modular, conventional) within 150 feet of the agricultural farm building for which this exemption is being requested. ☐ Yes ☐ No
6. Select name of Power Company if electrical service is being established for the agricultural farm building:
☐ SECO ☐ Progress Energy ☐ Withlacoochee River Electric
7. Two (2) copies of a site plan sketch of the location of the proposed agricultural farm building and all other buildings within 150 feet of the proposed agricultural farm building must be attached to this application.

I understand and agree that all zoning requirements and health department requirements (if any) apply and that the only inspection required is for determination of compliance with those requirements. If at any time the exempt structure no longer meets the exemption criteria set forth in this application, then the exempt structure will lose its exempt status and be subject to the applicable building permit process. The filing of this application does not constitute the filing of an application for septic tank or other services and does not constitute approval of the building or location by the Sumter County Health Department. All such approvals must be obtained independently of this application.

Under penalty of perjury, I hereby state I have read the above and the statements contained herein are true and correct.

Owner's Signature

Printed Name of Owner:

Address of Owner:

Telephone Number of Owner:

State of Florida
County of _____

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day _____, 200__,
by _____, who is/are personally known to me or
who has/have produced the following identification: _____.

Notary Public, State of _____

My Commission Expires: _____ (Seal)

*****DEPARTMENT USE*****

Permit # AG20 - _____

Zoning Department:

☐ Approved ☐ Denied

Signature of Approving Person: _____

Date: _____

Future Land Use _____ Zoning _____

Building Department:

☐ Approved ☐ Denied

Signature of Approving Person: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____